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## Your Guide to the World of Furry Fandom

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**"Numbers do not win a war."** – Orieus, centaur, in Walt Disney Pictures *The Chronicles of Narnia – The Lion, The Witch, and the Wardrobe*.

It's 2006, and it's time for you to think about voting – NO, not for Washington, right here in Furry Fandom! It's time to nominate and vote on the Ursa Major Awards for 2005. Read on to find out more...

As largely expected, the year-end box office in 2005 wound up in a pitched battle between a savage ape and a heavenly lion as *King Kong* (from Universal) battled with *The Chronicles of Narnia – The Lion, The Witch, and the Wardrobe* (from Disney) for supremacy at the movies. Both did quite well out of the starting gate, though *Kong* had a much bigger hill to climb: With a production budget alone estimated at \$207 million, not even counting the cost of publicity, the ape picture started with a long way to go before it could be profitable. As of this writing, *Narnia* has inched slightly ahead of the giant ape in total sales... But, divine lions only know what'll happen when they're both released on DVD. Stay tuned, furs!

*This Just In:* All of Hollywood is buzzing like bees with the news that the Walt Disney Company has decided to buy Pixar films outright (from its former parent, Apple) for a whopping 7 billion dollars – that's "billion" with a "b", people. Okay, now try to follow this: Apple and Pixar head-honcho **Steve Jobs** now gets a spot on the Disney board of directors. **Ed Catmull** of Pixar becomes President of Walt Disney Feature Animation (the whole ball of wax), while Pixar's well-known director **John Lasseter** becomes "Director of Creative" for both WDA and Disney's Imagineering division (which designs new rides for Disney's theme parks). Meanwhile **David Stainton**, the former head of WDA, has resigned. For the time being, the word is that WDA, Pixar, and Circle 7 (the controversial

Disney division set up to make sequels to Pixar films like *Finding Nemo*) will all be operating and producing films at once. By the time you've read this paragraph, several items in it will have changed! Once again, stay tuned for more details as we get them!

Well, February 4<sup>th</sup> it was a night of clay in Glendale. *Wallace and Gromit in "Curse of the Were-Rabbit"* ruled the night at the 33<sup>rd</sup> annual Annie Awards, presented by the International Animated Film Society. The crazy inventor and his silent canine pal took home ten Annies, winning every category they were nominated in – including (among others) effects animation, character design, voice acting **Peter Sallis**, Wallace himself), writing, directing, and of course Best Animated Feature of 2005. Other big winners of the evening were *Star Wars – Clone Wars* for Best Animated TV Series, and *Lilo & Stitch 2: Stitch Has A Glitch* for Best Home Entertainment (made for video) Production.

Probably the first big animation news of the new year is *Hoodwinked* from The Weinstein Company. After a very limited run in late 2005 (to qualify for the Oscars, though it was too late for the Annies), the film opened properly on January 13<sup>th</sup> and was #1 at the box office for its premiere weekend. Now word is out that the Weinsteins have already given the green light to a *Hoodwinked* sequel, to be titled *Hood vs. Evil*. Once again **Cory Edwards**, **Todd Edwards**, and **Tony Leech** are set to direct.

Just a reminder: The film version of *Curious George* (in 2D, no less!) finally makes it to the big screen on February 10, courtesy of Universal Pictures. Starring the voices of **Will Ferrell** (as The Man in the Yellow Hat), **Joan Plowright**, **David Cross**, **Eugene Levy**, and **Brend Barrymore**. Visit [www.curiousgeorgemovie.com](http://www.curiousgeorgemovie.com) to find out more.

Volumes One and Two of *Thundercats* Season One are available now in DVD box sets from Warner Home Video. Collecting the first original episodes of this popular animated science fiction/adventure series from the 1980's, Volume Two also features a behind-the-scenes short subject.

On February 7<sup>th</sup> Disney will release *Bambi II* on DVD. Featuring the voices of **Patrick Stewart**, **Alex Gould**, and **Brandon Baig**, the new story follows Bambi the fawn, now being raised to adulthood by his father, the Great Prince of the Forest, after Bambi's mother has been gunned down.

Also coming in February is *The Pink Panther Classic Cartoon Collection* DVD box set from MGM Home Entertainment. It features no less than 124 cartoons produced by **Friz Freleng** and **David H. DePatie** between 1964 and 1980, including the original animated opening titles of the *Pink Panther* live action movies.

This March, Walt Disney Home Entertainment will release *Whisper of the Heart* on DVD. Written by celebrated director **Hayao Miyazaki** and produced by his Studio Ghibli, this 2D animated film follows the story of a young schoolgirl named Shizuku and a mysterious boy named Seiji, both of them determined to live out their dreams. It also features the first appearance of the Baron, the magical living cat-figureine featured prominently in *The Cat Returns*.

New this winter on PBS Kids: *It's a Big Big World*, created by **Bear in the Big Blue House** mastermind **Mitchell Kriegman**. Using a combination of puppetry, animatronics, and CGI, a group of rainforest animals (including a giant sloth, two marmosets, a tree frog, an anteater, and more) teach young children about science and geography.

First word: This summer, watch Cartoon Network for the premier of *Squirrel Boy*, a new animated comedy series created by **Everett Peck**. The show follows the misadventures of a 10-year-old human boy and his best friends, a pair of toon squirrels: One his scheming pet, the other a wild free spirit living in a local park. Featuring the voices of **Tom Kenny** (*Spongebob Squarepants*) and **Richard Horvitz** (*Invader Zim*).

New on the shelves from Alias Comics is *Atomik Mike* by **Stephan Nilson** and **Israel Cruz** (in full color). The greatest space transporter and smuggler alive has a problem: He's been transformed into a monkey by a rival captain! What's this mean for his business? Find out here!

A new title appearing soon from Archaia Studios Press is generating a lot of buzz among comic book fans. *Mouse Guard* by **David Petersen** is a full-color 6-issue bimonthly miniseries, following the adventures of brave sword-wielding mice who protect mouse travelers as they journey from one hidden village to another. When they're assigned to discover the fate of a mouse merchant who never reached his destination, the mouse guard find much more than they bargained for.

Cinebook offers a new translation of a European comic in graphic novel form. *Yakari and Great Eagle* chronicles the adventures of a young Sioux boy gifted with the power of speaking to all animals. Astride his faithful mustang, Little Thunder, Yakari rides across the plains mountain and helping out a wide variety of animals.

New from our friends at Shanda Fantasy Arts is *The Beginners Guide to Drawing Furry Art* by **Steve Corbett** (a well-known furry artist and comic book illustrator). This black & white one-shot is a step-by-step tutorial for those who've wanted to learn the art of drawing anthropomorphic characters, including many basic steps not found in your average art how-to book. In August, look for the premiere of *Shanda's Bedtime Tails*, a new black & white adult comic series by **Dennis Clark**, **Mike Curtis**, and others. "The cast of *Shanda the Panda* star in their first adult comic book! Forbidden love and lovers is the theme in the feature two-part tale, as Missy and Sissy have 'Sweet Dreams' about football star Colt and Shanda's boyfriend Double R. Plus there's pinups and art by the regular Shanda artists as well."

From Silent Devil Productions, home of *Bubba the Redneck Werewolf*, comes the *Bubba Super Sci-Fi Special* in full color. Created by **Mitch Hyman** and original *Bubba* artist **Shawn Surface**, this special follows the exploits of a pair of hapless

(and well-known!) FBI agents who investigate the "paranormal" goings-on in Bubba's neck of the woods. Also featured is a back-up story with Bubba's favorite superheroes: Ape Man and Monkey Boy!

*Coffee and Doughnuts* is the name of the new black & white graphic novel by **Max Estes**. Jules and Dwight are down-on-their-luck alley cats who make the mistake of going up against local mobsters when it looks like they've got nothing to lose. This latest adventure of *The Junkyard Cats* is published by Top Shelf Productions.

In-case we've-missed-it-so-far: *Transformers Beast Wars* is available now from IDW Publishing. Based on the popular CGI TV series, this new full-color comic follows the adventures of transforming warrior robots – Maximals and Predacons – who take on animal shapes to survive on a harsh planet. Brought to you now by **Simon Furman** and **Don Figueroa**.

*Lions, Tigers, and Bears* from Alias Comics returns this March with Volume 2: "Betrayal". Once again written by **Mike Bullock** with art by **Jack Lawrence**, this new 4-part full-color miniseries finds the human children Joey and Courtney, and their more-than-they-seem stuffed animal friends, battling a new assault by the evil beasts in a wintry land.

Coming soon from AIT/Planet Lar Comics is a new black & white one-shot, *Sky Ape: King of Girls*. This time the millionaire gorilla with a jet-pack must stop an evil genius intent on teaching needs to be cool – and thus threatening the livelihood of comic book creators everywhere! Brought to you by **Amara, McCarney, Russo, and Jenkins**.

In **Kevin McShane's** world, superhero comic books aren't comic books – they're movies, filmed with actors. Into this setting walks *Toopydups*, an elf-like fellow with ambitions to star in his own comic book "production". Keeping him out of trouble are his dog-like friend Teetereater and a rather grumpy monkey. This new black & white series is published by Lobrau Productions.

Interesting special guests will be joining the Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles this March. In *Tales of the TMNT* #21, the heroes-on-the-half-shell meet up with none other than the Wild West COW-Boys of Moo Mesa, from the 1990's Saturday morning TV series. Both groups are out to retrieve a powerful magic crystal from the six-gun toting villain who stole it. Brought to you by **Ryan Brown, Murphy, and Dario Brizuela**, and published (of course) by Mirage Press.

Also this March look for the premiere of *Big Max*, a new full-color comic series by **Dan Slott** (*She-Hulk*) and **James Fry** (published by Mr. Comics). In a world filled with superheroes, the biggest and strongest of them all is Big Max – an ape in a cape, the primate who lowers the crime rate! With his sidekick Monkey Boy, Big Max is off to save the world from the silent-but-deadly threat of... Mr. Mime!

The first few issues of *Banana Sunday* by **Root Nibot** and **Colleen Coover** have been collected into a new trade paperback, coming this March (in black & white) from Oni Press. Kirby Steinberg is a girl with some problems: Namely, she's just started at a brand new school, and she's the caretaker of three mischievous talking monkeys!

One of Batman's most dangerous and unpredictable foes returns in *Man-Bat* #1, written by **Bruce Jones** and with art by **Mike Huddleston** (a new 5-issue full color miniseries, from DC Comics of course). Scientist Kirk Langstrom has long had control of his animalistic alter ego, the Man Bat... but that control is slipping. And two of Batman's biggest foes plan on turning the Man Bat's predicament to their own advantage...

This April look for the first issue of *Thunder Monkey*, a new black & white comic series by **Lee Oaks**. A burnt-out boxer named "Knuckles" is being tracked by the Mexican mafia – but then a mysterious furry known as Thunder Monkey steps into the picture. Whose side is he on? Find out from Dream Bug Productions.

Another brand new comic title coming this April is *Kee-Fu Fighters* from Roxbox Entertainment. **Phillip Temple**, **Todd A. Wahnish**, and **Danination** present the story of Princess Kairo and the Kee-Fu Fighters, brave young warriors united to save their world and its magical power source from the evil plans of The Baron and his army. Toon-style adventure in this full-color family-friendly comic.

It's the battle for primate supremacy! The monkey and lemur return in *Monkey vs. Lemur: Crisis with Infinite Critters*. And on top of their own battles, the primates have to deal with platypi ninjas, lemur lycanthropy, Egyptian curses, and more! Coming to you in April (again in full color), this time from Silent Devil Productions.

Coming this April from Tokyo Pop is a new digest-sized manga called *+Anima* ("Plus Anima") by **Natsumi Mukai**. The *+Anima* are beings who possess animal-like powers. Shunned by human society, four *+Anima* (crow, fish, bear, and bat) seek more of their own kind and a place to live in peace.

New in TV tie-ins: *Dog Star Patrol* and *Test Pilot Puppy* are the titles of two new *Krypto* the *Superdog* trade paperbacks available now at a bookstore near you. The comic book stories are inter-woven with activities and coloring pictures.

On the shelves now is Volume 2 of *The Complete Omaha the Cat Dancer* by **Reed Waller** and the late **Kate Worley**, featuring more classic issues of this famous erotic furry black & white comic in a trade paperback format. It's available on the Americat imprint from NBM Books.

The author of *The Tale of Despereaux* and *Because of Winn-Dixie* returns the February with a new book. **Kate DiCamillo's** newest work is *The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane* (in hardback, from Candlewick Press). Edward is a china rabbit, the beloved toy of a little girl named Abilene. Then one day, through extraordinary circumstances, Edward is lost... and must journey back to his home, his girl, and the life that he knew. The book features illustrations by **Bagram Ibatoulline**.

Coming this April is *The Life and Times of Scrooge McDuck*, a new full-color trade paperback by **Don Rosa**. This from the publisher, Gemstone: "Don Rosa, one of the modern age's Disney comics superstars created this twelve-part story to delineate exactly how Scrooge McDuck acquired his fortune and became the World's Richest Duck. The story was originally serialized in the US in Uncle Scrooge comics. Now it has been collected in one all-encompassing popularly priced volume."

A new full-color manga from Korea is making news: *The Great Catsby* by **Doha Kong** is the romantic story of a cat named Catsby, who loses his girlfriend to another male. His pal Houndu treats him to wine, women, and song, but there's no forgetting his lost Persu. Find out more in this new trade paperback, coming in April from Netcomics.

"No, but I bet they help." – Prince Peter, human, in Walt Disney Pictures *The Chronicles of Narnia – The Lion, The Witch, and the Wardrobe*.

**Furry Stuff has ConFurence Stuff!** The original ConFurence General Store (for ConFurences 0 – 10) has moved to the new Furry Stuff web portal. Check them out at [www.furrystuff.com](http://www.furrystuff.com) to find out more – soon, pictures of what's available will be up on-line. Three of the popular ConFurence T-Shirt designs are still available for a limited time: "Furries in Force" (black on honey-color) by **Eric Schwartz** from CF7, "Furries in Love" (black and pink on grey) by **Rachael Cawley** from CF9, and "Sydney's World" (Sydney on a colored globe on green) by **Ken Sample** from CF10. Plus, a very few of **Mitch Beiro's** colorful "Furries in Space" T-shirts remain (write for sizes available). They also still offer the *ConFurence Seven Highlights Video*, as well as the brand new *ConFurence Eight – Music and Mirth* and *ConFurence Nine – Furries in Love* highlights videos too! And coming soon, a special combination video from CF5 and CF6! Not to mention many cool prints and extra Souvenir Books from past ConFurences! To find a complete list, visit the Furry Stuff web site, or send them an SASE at: Furry Stuff, P.O. Box 1958, Garden Grove, CA 92842-1958.

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**A Note to the staff members of our many Furry Conventions:** Hey! We wanna help you get the word out! Having a cool-looking web site is a neat thing, but remember: There are still a significant number of fans out there (furry and otherwise) who don't use the World Wide Web, or who don't use it to it's full potential. For them, there's this cool old thing folks on the Internet call *Snail Mail*. That's where we come in! Send us information, and let us help you get the word out to over 1,000 furry fans, artists, dealers, and publishers in the U.S., Canada, Europe, Japan... Look below for our reasonable ad rates, and don't forget... send us text blurbs and you get in for **free!**

**A Request to Our Readers:** Hey, got a favorite comic or book store that carries your favorite furry titles, or that you wish would carry more? Give us their address! We'll send them a copy of *In-Fur-Nation* each quarter, and keep them abreast of the kind of comics and media that you would like to see on their shelves! Remember, they can't order it if they don't

know it's out there! As an *alternate*: Know of any good comic zines or web sites that might be looking to trade issues?

**Guess what? In-Fur-Nation is looking for Field Reporters!** As an on-going feature, we're going to present profiles of furry creators and furry-oriented companies that are helping to promote products and media of interest to funny animal fans all over. So, like to help out? Know a comic book creator, animator, publisher, or other such person in the field who'd like to discuss what furies mean to them, or to the world? Talk to them, write down what they say... then give us a write-up, about 300-500 words, and we'll include it as a blurb in an upcoming INF, and give you credit for it. [We do maintain the right to edit for clarity and length, mind you.] And hey, we're looking for **furry convention reviews and anecdotes** too! Send hard copies to the Furry Stuff address above, or, you can e-mail your submission to **Rod O'Reilly** at [link@firstlight.net](mailto:link@firstlight.net).

**Advertising in In-Fur-Nation:** For those who've been asking, ads in In-Fur-Nation come in these sizes: 1/8-page "business card" size for \$5.00 per issue, and 1/4-page size (4 1/2" tall by 3 1/4" wide) for \$10.00 per issue. Full-page inclusions can also be arranged for \$50.00 an issue. Check should be made out to Furry Stuff. Send camera-ready art and text to P.O. Box 1958, Garden Grove, CA 92642-1958, or send email to [link@firstlight.net](mailto:link@firstlight.net).

(Many thanks to all the people who helped provide information for this issue both by mail and via Internet! Invaluable help was also received from the web masters of the various furry conventions out there.)

#### More Furry Conventions All Around!



#### Califur.2

May 5 – 7, 2006, look out for "Pirates of the Califur"! Arrrrrrr! The latest and greatest furry con in Southern California salutes those brave and deadly sailors of the seas (and skies and stars!) – especially the *furry* sort of sailors! This gathering of... independent business ventures from all over the world will take place in Costa Mesa this May. (That's about 30 miles south of Los Angeles, for you world travelers!)

Our Special Guests for Califur Two include furry artist **Mitch de la Guardia** – whose cool work we discovered at Califur One (Visit <http://elfwood.lysator.liu.se/fang/glu/guardia3/guardia3.html> to see some (just some!) of Mitch's work) – and the creative team behind the *Furry Pirates* role-playing game, **Lise Breakey** and **Bruce Thomas**. More Specials Guests will be added as we get closer to the con, so make sure to keep your eyes on our web site ([www.califur.com](http://www.califur.com)) for more details! Programming plans for Califur Two include the Cabaret Fur le Dance (a Southern California furry tradition!), musical guests, artistic how-to sessions, a Fur Suit Dance, and of course – a treasure hunt! All this and much, much more!

Membership in Califur One is available for \$40.00 until May 4, 2006, and \$45.00 thereafter at the door. Advances memberships – with increasing perks and increasing prestige – are available at Sponsor, Patron, and Benefactor levels for \$60.00, \$120.00, and \$1000.00 respectively. Make sure to visit the web site to find out more!

Rooms at the Holiday Inn Costa Mesa are available for \$99.00 per night (single to quad), with suites available for \$179.00 per night. The hotel is located at 3131 S. Bristol Street, Costa Mesa, California, 92626 (right off the 405/San Diego Freeway). Call 800-221-7220 for reservations (the booking code is "2CCC"), or else visit them on line at <http://www.hicostamesa.com> (where the booking code is just "CCC"). And remember – keep in touch with the latest on Califur Two by visiting our web site at [www.califur.com](http://www.califur.com).

Or, if you're in the other half of the continent that weekend, check out ...

#### Morphicon 2006

Also May 5 – 7, 2006. Morphicon's theme for 2006 is "The Food Chain"! Morphicon is an anthropomorphics (or "furry") convention located in the central Ohio area. We have programming planned for three full days, including a masquerade, a variety show, a dance, discussion panels, food events, and room for dealers and artists.

Morphicon 2006's Special Guests include **Bill Holbrook** (cartoonist and creator of *Kevin and Kelly*), **Candy "Trixi" Dewalt** (furry artist and creator of *Vinci and Arty*), and **Ryan "Tet" Dewalt** (furry webhost and designer of the YNA Archive).

Morphicon will be held May 5 - May 7, 2006, at the Radisson Hotel Columbus-Worthington, 7007 N. High St., Columbus, OH 43085. Ohio Morphicon has secured a block of double-queen rooms for \$89.00 per night. To reserve a room, call the Radisson directly at 614-436-0700, or fax them at 614-436-5318. You may also call the central office at 1-800-333-3333. Whichever route you go, you must ask for the Morphicon room rate (room block MO-005). The room rate is guaranteed only through April 19. Please plan ahead and reserve your room early.

Full Registration to Morphicon is available for only \$30.00, if received by the pre-registration deadline (March 1, 2005). After that, Full Registration is \$40.00 at the door. Sponsor memberships are available for \$45.00, and Patron memberships for \$85.00, again before March 1 – they both go up at the door. Check out the web site at [www.morphicon.org](http://www.morphicon.org) for more information about memberships and benefits.

## Cape May Fur Meet

The CMFM is a newish furry gathering, this year being held May 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> at Middle Township, Cape May County, New Jersey. The thing that makes CMFM unique in the furry con/meet/fest scheme of things is that it uses a chartered train as part of the meet itself. 2006 will see CMFM celebrating its 7<sup>th</sup> year. This fact, along with the Cape May Seashore Lines, the hosting railroad, 10th anniversary has lent to the theme of "7-10 Split: Spare some time for CMFM" with guest of honor John "the Gneech" Robey (creator of *Suburban Jungle*). Memberships are \$30.00 for both days, \$20.00 for one day, and \$50.00 for sponsor. Sponsors get a free Purrsia Press comic and dinner with John Robey on Saturday. The schedule is complex, and several accommodations are used along the trip. So be sure to visit their web site at [www.capemayfurmeet.com](http://www.capemayfurmeet.com) to find out all the latest about the wheres and the whens. No web access? Then write to them at Cape May Fur Meet / LionkingCMSL, c/o Don Miller, Jr., 208 Malaga Park Drive, Malaga, NJ 08328.

## Rocket City Fur Meet

RCFM 2006 — The Fourth Dimension! May 26 — 28, 2006, in Huntsville, Alabama. The Guest of Honor for this returning furry gather include **Aura Moser** (furry artist), **Sub Level 03** (musical guests), **Santa Fox** (fur-suiting panelist), and **KT** (special cartoonist guest). All that plus the return of **2, the Ranting Gryphon** as MC, and this year's award ceremony for the **Ursa Major Awards**, celebrating the best in furry media! It all takes place at the Radisson Suites Hotel (6000 South Memorial Parkway, Huntsville, AL). **Room Rates** are \$69.00 per night for up to six in a room. **Attending Memberships** are \$30.00 (by mail — \$40.00 at the door), with Supporting Memberships and Sponsorships available too. The Meet's web site is at [www.rcfm.net](http://www.rcfm.net), or you can write to them care of: Ken Barnes, Attn: RCFM, 5041 Galaxy Way #210, Huntsville, AL 35816.

## Don't Forget — It's time to send in Nominations for the Ursa Major Awards for 2005!

More formally known as the Annual Anthropomorphic Literature and Arts Award, the Ursa Major Award is presented annually for excellence in the furry arts. It is intended as Anthropomorphic (a.k.a. Furry) Fandom's equivalent of the Hugo Award ® (presented by the World Science Fiction Society), mystery fandom's Anthony Award, horror fandom's Bram Stoker Award, and so forth.

Anyone may nominate. Nominations for 2005 works are open now. To find out what other fans think might be worth nominating, take a look at the 2005 Recommended Anthropomorphics List (available for viewing at [www.ursamajorawards.com](http://www.ursamajorawards.com)). Voting for the 2005 Ursa Major Award will take place during the first half of 2006. Please contact us if you wish to receive a ballot (see below). The Award will be presented at Rocket City Fur Meet 2006 in Huntsville Alabama this May.

To be eligible, a work must have been released between January 1 and December 31 of 2005, and must include a non-human being given human attributes (anthropomorphic), which can be mental and/or physical (for example the intelligent rabbits in *Watership Down* for the former, and Bugs Bunny

for the latter.) Simply including an animal character is not sufficient to qualify. Nominations are not limited to items included on the Recommended Anthropomorphics List, which are simply some people's recommendations. Any works first published during the year under consideration are eligible. The Ursa Major Award categories include Best Anthropomorphic: Motion Picture, Dramatic Short Work or Series, Novel, Short Fiction, Other Literary Work (such as short story collections or art portfolio books, etc.), Comic Book, Comic Strip (paper or on-line), Fanzine, Published Illustration, Game (FRP or video), and Miscellany (items that don't fit elsewhere, such as toys or models, etc.).



To find out more about the Ursa Major Award Nominations for 2005, visit the web site, or send a SASE to: Ursa Major Award, c/o Rod O'Riley, P.O. Box 1958, Garden Grove, CA 92842-1958, U.S.A.

That's all for this time, lords. Our next issue will come bouncing to you in late April of 2006, when the Spring has sprung again. So look for us then! Keep up with the World Wide Furry Movement here in the pages of In-Fur-Nation!



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